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Via ECFS
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Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

Despite living at ground zero of the tech revolution I was limited to ridiculously low-speed options from AT&T or ridiculously bundled options from Comcast. Because my employment demands higher speeds, I had no choice but Comcast. Comcast's broadband speed delivery was non-uniform and was starting to impact videoconferencing capabilities essential to my work. Thank God SONIC came along to provide reliable, high-speed, symmetric internet access without hanging on lots of undesired extras. Now, of course, rather than competing by delivering better value to their customers, fat, lazy, overstuffed telecomm wants their Washington cronies to snuff out rising competitors by regulatory fiat so they can lumber along without stepping up their game. If there is a shred of decency, integrity, or commitment to country left in you, please tell big telecomm to put on their big boy pants and go compete in the marketplace. Introduce them to the idea of providing maximum value to customers. Their laggardly ways already have Americans paying top dollar for mediocre internet connectivity far below world standards. Please don't act in a way to guarantee America falls further behind.

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